



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/998,661  
Applicant : Todd Charles MCNEEL et al.  
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**REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request an Oral Hearing for the above-referenced application. A Reply Brief is being filed concurrently.

The fee for the Request for Oral Hearing is \$1,000.00 and is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2135.

Respectfully submitted,

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